Notice of Race Union Bank One Design Regatta August 25th & 26th2018

Blackbeard Sailing Club New Bern, NC





Blackbeard Sailing Club cordially invites all one-design sailboats to attend the Blackbeard, UnionBank One-Design Regatta. Classes attending may include: Buccaneer, Ensign, Flying Scot, Isotope, Laser, Lightning, Optimist(see separate NOR), San Juan 21, Sunfish, Tanzer 16, Thistle etc and Open.

- **1. Rules:** This regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing. Appendix V1 will be invoked by the Sailing Instructions*
- 2. Classes: This is a regatta for one-design mono-hull sailboats. Four boats of one design, registered by August 19 2018, shall constitute a class. Other boats will race in a combined class and be scored via the Portsmouth Yardstick.
- 3. Registration: *Pre-registration will be online and is highly recommended.* See the link below. The entry fee for preregistration is \$40 and includes two meals for Saturday evening. US Sailing members may deduct \$5.00 and must provide their USSailing member number.
- a. Late Registration commences at 8:00 PM on Sunday August 19th and runs through 8:00 AM August 25th (race day) for an additional fee of \$10.00. Please register early and save your hard earned money.
- **4. Courses:** Race courses will be on the Neuse River or Broad Creek depending on conditions and will be formatted in either a triangle windward leeward or windward leeward.
- **5. Sailing Instructions:** The sailing instructions will be available online (see link at bottom) on or before August 1, 2018 and also available for your convenience at the regatta.
- 6. Schedule:

Saturday, August 25, 2018:

08:00 AM Late Registration closes

09:00 AM Competitors Meeting on the clubhouse deck.

10:55 AM Warning Signal for the first race.

Sunday, August 26, 2018:

08:00 AM Coffee and donuts in the clubhouse

09:55 AM First Warning Signal for first race, subsequent race(s)

follow at the discretion of the R/C. No races to be started after 1:00 PM.

- 7. Berthing: If you wish to tow your one-design boat behind your big boat to Blackbeard and sleep on your big boat, a limited number of free slips are available at Blackbeard Sailing Club on a first-come, first-served basis. For details contact Blackbeard Sailing Club Dockmaster, Bill Drechsler at billhotchoc@hotmail.com. Please include your Length, Beam and Draft in the first email. A shuttle service for boats anchored in Upper Broad Creek also may be available. Flying Scot competitors may leave their boats at BSC until the FS ACC at their own risk.
- 8. Lodging:
- a. Free camping is available on site at Blackbeard. The club's bathhouse is nearby.
- **b.** Resort Management Group at Fairfield Harbour. These weekend rental units are less than a mile from the club. Contact Liza Redington at 252-638-8011 or guestservices@resortmgmtgroup.com. Gwen has units that sleep four and rent for around \$125/ \$135 per night.
- c. Vacation Resorts International. These weekend rentals are also less than a mile from the Club. Contact Diana Morris or "Duffy" at 252-633-1151 or the harbour@suddenlink.com. They have units that sleep 8 and rent for around \$\$150 a night and may offer discounts to sailors.